

## **Adoption Application**

I am interested in adopting: Dog Cat Rabbit Rodent Bird Reptile Barnyard Other\_\_\_\_\_

| Date received     |  |
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| A# / kennel #     |  |
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| PIN OK? /Initials |  |

| Preferred (First) Name   |  |  |  |  |
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| State of issue   | Date of birth  |  |  |  |
| Phone #2   | Phone #3   |  |  |  |
| City   | State  | Zip  |  |  |
| What is your <b>housing</b> situation?  □ Rent □ Own □Live with parents □ Other  |  |  |  |  |
| □ House □ Apartment □ Mobile Home □ Condo/Townhome □ Boat □ Other  |  |  |  |  |
| City   | State  | Zip  |  |  |
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| Full names of other adults in the household  |  |  |  |  |
| Are there <b>children</b> in the home or children that visit frequently? $\Box$ Yes $\Box$ No Age(s)   |  |  |  |  |
| Do you have <b>permission</b> from your landlord, property owner, and/or other members of the household to adopt an animal? $\Box$ Yes $\Box$ No |  |  |  |  |
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Name and phone # of landlord/property owner: \_

May we contact the landlord/property owner?  $\hfill Yes \hfill No \hfill Later$ 

## **CURRENT + PAST Pets:**

| Species/Breed  | eed Species/Breed  |  |
|--|--|--|
| Name Age   | NameAge  | Name Age   |
| $\Box$ Male $\Box$ Female Spayed/Neutered? $\Box$ Y $\Box$ N | $\Box$ Male $\Box$ Female Spayed/Neutered? $\Box$ Y $\Box$ N | $\Box$ Male $\Box$ Female Spayed/Neutered? $\Box$ Y $\Box$ N |
| Do you still have this pet? $\Box$ Y $\Box$ N                | Do you still have this pet? $\Box$ Y $\Box$ N                | Do you still have this pet? $\Box$ Y $\Box$ N                |
| If not, why?   | If not, why?   | If not, why?   |
| Number of years owned  | Number of years owned  | Number of years owned  |
| Where does/did this pet spend most of his/her                | Where does/did this pet spend most of his/her                | Where does/did this pet spend most of his/her                |
| time? (ex: the yard, the garage, the house):                 | time? (ex: the yard, the garage, the house):                 | time? (ex: the yard, the garage, the house):                 |
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How many hours per day will your new pet be left alone (without people)?

Where will your **dog/cat be when no one is home** (check all that apply)? 
In the yard/outdoors Indoors Dog/cat door Garage
In a crate Wherever s/he wants Other/details

Where will your **dog/cat be when someone is home during the day** (check all that apply)? 
In the yard/outdoors Indoors Dog/cat door Garage In a crate Wherever s/he wants Other/details \_\_\_\_\_\_

Where will your **dog/cat be at night** (check all that apply)? 
In the yard/outdoors 
Dog/cat door 
Garage 
In a crate
Herewarts 
Other/details

**Rabbits/rodents/"pocket pets":** Where will your animal be housed (check all that apply)? 
Outdoors 
Garage Playpen
In a hutch/cage/enclosed habitat 
Other/details

Do you have a **backup plan** for your animal if you are **permanently unable to care for** him/her?  $\Box$  Yes  $\Box$  No

All pets making the transition into a new home need time to adjust and may require house training and behavior training. They can shed, make noise, and need lots of attention. Are you aware of and willing to accommodate these potential issues and needs?  $\Box$  Yes  $\Box$  No

What behaviors, if any, would cause you to give up your companion animal?

What is your primary reason for wanting an animal?

How do you plan to exercise your animal? \_\_\_\_\_\_

Dogs: When your dog is outdoors at home, the following will apply: 
Fenced yard Run or Kennel Runner Unfenced acreage
Tether/Chain/Tie-out Leashed Other

Cats: What are your thoughts on declawing?

Can you afford veterinary care, grooming, emergency expenses, supplies, and food for the lifetime of this pet? (These expenses will add up to hundred and occasionally thousands of dollars each year.)  $\Box$  Yes  $\Box$  No

If you have existing pets, what are your plans for integrating your new pet safely and successfully into the household?

How did you hear about us? □ Friend/Family □ Volunteer □ Newspaper □ Radio □ TV □ Web □ Event □ Other \_\_\_\_\_

## You and Your Household (check all that apply):

| The role of my pet is:                   | My/our home atmosphere is like:          | In my free time I/we:                   |
|--|--|---|
| □ family companion                       | $\Box$ a library                         | $\Box$ hold down the couch              |
| $\Box$ protection for my home and family | $\Box$ a germ-free zone                  | $\Box$ take strolls on the beach        |
| □ hunter                                 | $\Box$ a hamster wheel                   | □ take road trips                       |
| $\Box$ for the kids                      | $\Box$ a frat house                      | □ take 10 mile hikes (uphill both ways) |
| □ companion for my other animal          | □ a daycare center                       | □ hibernate                             |
| □ best friend                            | $\Box$ a white picket fence and 2.3 kids | □ plant perennials / tinker in the shop |
| □ gift for someone else                  | □ Dr. Doolittle's house                  | $\Box$ bbq with the neighbors           |
| □ status symbol                          | □ a Zen garden                           | $\Box$ go to the dog park               |
| $\Box$ to keep/get me fit                | $\Box$ an empty nest                     | □ disco 'til dawn                       |
| □ a babe magnet                          | $\Box$ a table for one                   | $\Box$ cram for finals                  |
| □ other                                  | □ other                                  | □ other                                 |
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I certify that all the above information is true. I understand SCCAS reserves the right to deny the adoption of any animal. I acknowledge that information regarding the history, health, and behavior of adopted animals may not always be available or accurate.